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Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR UPLINK POWER CONTROL**

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Honorable Commissioner:

Please consider the following Comments on the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance prior to payment of the issue fee. No petition or fee is required for this submission.

## REMARKS

Applicant has reviewed the Notice of Allowance including the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance. Applicant provides these Comments on the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance in order to clarify the written record before payment of the issue fee.

Applicant notes that the Examiner has combined features from several of the independent claims in his stated reasons for allowance. For example, although the first paragraph of the stated reasons for allowance is a reasonable description of one exemplary embodiment of the invention, it clearly does not accurately describe each of the allowed independent claims. Thus, it needs to be stated 'for the record' that every element discussed in the stated reasons for allowance is not required for patentability of each claim. At this level of specificity, it would be more appropriate to state that this paragraph and the second paragraph discussed below provide a list of elements, one or more of which the Examiner has found to impart patentability in the various independent claims (which include one or more of these elements).

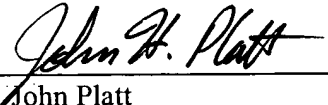
Applicant believes that the second paragraph is somewhat confusing/incorrect and suggests that the following rewrite of that paragraph would be more understandable, remove typographical errors, and generally be more accurate.

"Moerder in view of Kintis discloses measuring the RF signal power through use of a schottky diode detector (I/Q detector) which creates a dc signal representing the RF power, and varying the power level of said transmitted RF signal based on said measured RF signal power such that a maximum transmitted RF power level is determined based on the measured RF signal power. Moerder and Kintis, however, fail to teach controlling the maximum power based on a detected or measured power supplied, where the measured power supplied is not RF power."

No new matter has been presented by these comments. Applicant invites the Office to telephone the undersigned if he or she has any questions whatsoever regarding this submission or the present application in general.

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